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COMMISSION OF INSURANCE INSURANCE DIVISION OF IOWA

## BEFORE THE IOWA INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

IN THE MATTER OF	) Division Case No. 111360
CHRISTOPHER NOVOTNY, NPN 19449795, DOB 11/11/XXXX, Respondent.	ORDER FOR SUSPENSION  ORDER FOR SUSPENSION  ORDER FOR SUSPENSION

This matter comes before the Iowa Insurance Commissioner upon submission of a Certificate of Noncompliance from the Iowa Department of Revenue ("Revenue").

- 1. Christopher Novotny ("Respondent") submitted an application for insurance producer licensure designating the Commissioner as Respondent's agent for service of process and was issued an Iowa insurance producer license under National Producer Number 19449795.
- 2. Pursuant to Iowa Code § 272D.8 and Iowa Administrative Code rule 191—10.21, the Commissioner issued a notice to Respondent advising that the Certificate of Noncompliance was received and that Respondent's Iowa insurance producer license would be suspended in 30 days unless Revenue withdrew the Certificate of Noncompliance.
- 3. The Iowa Insurance Division ("Division") mailed the letter notifying Respondent of the intended suspension by restricted certified mail, return receipt requested, and by regular first-class mail on September 28, 2021, to the residence and mailing address located in the producer licensing record, as well as to an address provided by Revenue.
- 4. For whatever reason, the tracking information could not be located for the September 28, 2021, mailings, so notices were again mailed on November 15, 2021, to the residence and mailing address located in the producer licensing record, as well as to an address provided by Revenue.

- 5. The notice sent by restricted certified mail to the address in the licensing record was delivered and signed for by Respondent on November 23, 2021.
  - 6. The notice sent to that address by first class mail has not been returned to date.
- 7. The notice sent by restricted certified mail to the address provided by Revenue was returned to the Division on November 29, 2021, marked, "Return to Sender Attempted Not Known Unable to Forward."
  - 8. The notice sent to that address by first class mail has not been returned to date.
- 9. The 30-day notice period has now passed and Revenue has not withdrawn the Certificate of Noncompliance.
  - 10. On December 21, 2021, Revenue confirmed the Respondent is still noncompliant.
- 11. The Commissioner has authority to order the suspension of the insurance producer license of Respondent pursuant to Iowa Code § 272D.8 and Iowa Administrative Code rule 191—10.21(2).

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that the Iowa insurance producer license of Christopher Novotny is suspended as of the date of this Order.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that Christopher Novotny shall not be eligible for license reinstatement, reissuance, or renewal until all of the following has occurred:

- 1. Revenue issues a Withdrawal of the Certificate of Noncompliance;
- Respondent makes the appropriate Application for Reinstatement or Reissuance and this application is approved by the Commissioner or his designee;
- 3. Respondent pays all applicable fees; and
- Respondent complies with all other insurance statutes and regulations.
   So ORDERED this \_\_3rd \_\_day of January, 2022.

## COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

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	Douglas M. Ommen Commissioner of Insurance
Respectfully submitted,	
/s/Adam Kenworthy Adam Kenworthy 1963 Bell Avenue, Suite 100 Adam.kenworthy@iid.iowa.gov (515) 654-6562 Attorney for Iowa Insurance Division	
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE	
County of Polk ) State of Iowa )	
The undersigned certifies under penalty of perjury that he has entered the above order into the records of the Iowa Commissioner of Insurance and on the <u>4th</u> day of January, 2022, the foregoing order was delivered to the United States Postal Service, postage prepaid, for first class mail to:	
Christopher Novotny 4406 Manor Circle Sioux City, IA 51104	
I further certify that the foregoing order vectorism.insure@gmail.com. (1/3/22)	was sent by email to:
	/s/ Hilary Foster
	Hilary Foster Iowa Insurance Division

CC:

Iowa Department of Revenue Attn: License Sanction PO Box 10330

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